

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

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| In re: PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY |) | MDL No. 1456 |
| AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE |) | |
| LITIGATION |) | Civil Action No. 01-12257-PBS |
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| |) | Judge Patti B. Saris |
| THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: |) | |
| <i>United States of America ex rel.</i> |) | Magistrate Judge Marianne B. Bowler |
| <i>Ven-a-Care of the Florida Keys, Inc., v.</i> |) | |
| <i>Abbott Laboratories, Inc.</i> |) | |
| CIVIL ACTION NO. 06-11337-PBS |) | |
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UNITED STATES' AND THE RELATOR'S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO ENLARGE TIME

The United States of America and Ven-a-Care of the Florida Keys, inc., through undersigned counsel, respectfully file this Unopposed Motion for an enlargement of time until August 9, 2007 to file objections pursuant to Fed.R.Civ. Pro. 72(a) with respect to the July 19, 2007 Order (Docket Number 4483) entered in this matter. In support, the United States and the Relator provide the following.

1. On July 19, 2007, this Court entered an order regarding various discovery issues. Pursuant to Rule 72, any objections to the order must be filed within 10 days, on or before August 2, 2007. An extension of that deadline is permissible. *Kruger v. Apfel*, 214 F.3d 784 (7th Cir. 2000). The additional time is needed due to the complexity of the four motions disposed of by the Order, and because of undersigned counsel's previously scheduled matters.

2. The undersigned Assistant U.S. Attorney contacted Jason Winchester, Esq., and Brian Murray, counsel for defendant Abbott Laboratories Inc. and third parties Hospira, Inc. and TAP Pharmaceuticals. Inc. Mr. Winchester and Mr. Murray indicated they did not object to this request for additional time.

For the above reasons, the United States and the Relator respectfully request that this motion be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day caused an electronic copy of the above UNITED STATES' UNOPPOSED MOTION TO ENLARGE TIME to be served on all counsel of record via electronic service by sending a copy to LexisNexis File & Serve for posting and notification to all parties.

Date August 1, 2007

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